GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3409
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WHO REPORT ON DRUGS
SADASHIVRAO DADOBA MANDLIK

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the recent World Health Organisation report, entitled `Overcoming Anti-microbial Resistance` on the resistance to drugs for illnesses such as kala azar, typhoid, tuberculosis and other infectious diseases;

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government about ineffective drugs; and

(c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b)&(c): The Report is under examination and the information will be laid on the table of the House.